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Antimicrobial medical devices

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CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

The present invention provides for antimicrobial medical

articles prepared by a method comprising treating a surface of the

medical article with a solution consisting essentially of one or more solvents and a mixture of chlorhexidine

free base and a water-soluble

chlorhexidine salt, at a weight/weight ratio of

between about 1:1 to about 1:5, wherein the combined concentration of

chlorhexidine free base and a water

-soluble salt of chlorhexidine is about 2% (w/v) or greater. In alternative embodiments, the antimicrobial medical articles may be treated with a similar solution in which the concentrations of chlorhexidine free base and a water

-soluble salt of chlorhexidine are each about 0.20 percent (w/v). Other embodiments include those in which the solvent comprises methanol, or the treatment solution further comprises a silver salt, one or more organic acids, an anti-inflammatory agent, and a hydrogel.

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The present disclosure invention relates to medical devices treated with a solution comprising one or more solvents and a combination of chlorhexidine free base and

a water-soluble chlorhexidine salt

in a weight/weight ratio of between about 1:1 to about 1:5, preferably about 1:1.

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